

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE THE APPLICATION OF: T. Sawada, et al.

SERIAL NO.: 09/856,162

FILED: September 21, 2001

TITLE: Protecting Film For Polarizing Plate And Polarizing Plate

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ART UNIT: 1711

EXAMINER: M. Bissett

TRANSMITTED HERewith IS AN ☒ AMENDMENT, ☐ REPLY, ☐ AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION IN THE ABOVE-IDENTIFIED APPLICATION.

☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

\*☒ No additional fee is required.

## THE FEE HAS BEEN CALCULATED AS SHOWN BELOW:

CLAIMS	REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGH.# PREV. PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY RATE ADD'L FEE	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY RATE ADD'L FEE
TOTAL	9	MINUS	19	- 0	X9-\$	X18-\$0
INDEP.	6	MINUS	10	- 0	X43-\$	X86-\$0

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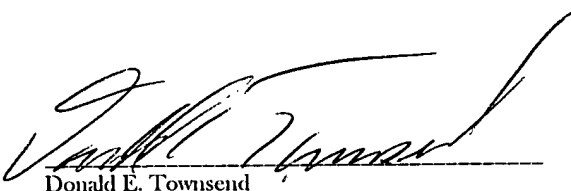
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**AMENDMENT**

**BOX NON-FEE AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Responsive to the official Office Action mailed April 22, 2004, in the matter of the above-identified application, kindly amend the same as follows: